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From: Mylott, Richard

Sent: Fri 8/14/2015 12:02:03 AM Subject: Fwd: Urgent Question

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From: "Frosch, Dan" < <u>Dan.Frosch@wsj.com</u>> **Date:** August 13, 2015 at 5:39:55 PM MDT

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Rich,

Did you guys release more sampling data this morning? Can you direct me to it?

Also, can you confirm that this is accurate? From AP, as per your data release this morning:

The test results show water samples taken from the Animas River near Silverton, Colorado, in the hours after the spill contained lead levels more than 200 times the acute exposure limit for aquatic life and more than 3,500 times the limit for human ingestion.

The agency stressed that contamination levels peaked after the spill but have since fallen as the pollution moved downstream and the toxic metals settled to the bottom.

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